

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

ROLAND MCKINNEY, )  
Petitioner, )  
vs. ) Case No. 4:10-CV-1814-JCH  
JEAN ANN JOHNSON, )  
Respondent. )

**ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on petitioner's motion to proceed in forma pauperis.

Upon consideration of the financial affidavit, the Court has determined that petitioner is unable to afford to pay the filing fee. Consequently, the Court will grant the motion. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that petitioner's motion to proceed in forma pauperis is **GRANTED**.

Dated this 7th day of October, 2010.

/s/ Jean C. Hamilton  
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JEAN C. HAMILTON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE